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Federal Communications Commission  
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Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Petitioner's Comments  
Cross Plains, Texas (MB Docket No. 04-348)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Enclosed is an original and four (4) copies of  
Petitioner's Comments for Channel 294A at Cross Plains,  
Texas.

Respectfully submitted,

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Before the  
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In the Matter of	)	
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Amendment of 73.202 (b)	)	MB Docket No. 04-348
Table of Allotments	)	RM-10718
FM Broadcast Stations	)	
(Cross Plains, TX	)	

To: John Karousos, Assistant Chief  
Audio Division of the  
Media Bureau

PETITIONER'S COMMENTS

Please accept these comments as restated below from  
Proponents original petition.

DISCUSSION

Petitioner respectfully submits that the public  
interest would be served by allocating Channel 294A to  
Cross Plains, Texas as that community's first local FM  
service. Cross Plains, Texas is an incorporated city with  
its own zip code and a population of 1,068 people.<sup>1</sup> Cross  
Plains has its own volunteer fire department, post office,  
mayor, city offices and a number of local churches. Cross  
Plains is a community that is certainly deserving of local  
FM service. The proposed channel 294A will provide  
additional diversity and an outlet for local self-

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<sup>1</sup> According to the 2002/ 2003 Texas Almanac.

expression to Cross Plains residents and therefore is in the public interest.

Should this petition be granted and Channel 294A allotted to Cross Plains, Texas, Petitioner will apply for Channel 294A at Cross Plains and after it is authorized, will promptly construct the new facility.

The factual information provided in these Comments is correct and true to the best of my knowledge.

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cc: Gene A. Bechtel, Law Office of Gene Bechtel, Suite 600, 1050 17<sup>th</sup> Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036, telephone (202) 496-1289, telecopier (301) 762-0156, attorney for Charles Crawford. It is requested that the Commission and any parties who may file pleadings in the captioned matter serve copies to Mr. Bechtel as well as Charles Crawford.

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